







## Allon lays down five guidelines for map

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TIBERIAS. — Deputy Prime Minister Yigal Allon said yesterday that five elements would have to be considered in drawing up a new map of Israel: the historic right of the people of Israel to its land; the military and political value of defensible borders; the building of a democratic, free and ethical society; carving out a state that was essentially Jewish in character, with a substantial Arab minority enjoying equal rights; and a politically reasonable settlement in the administered territories.

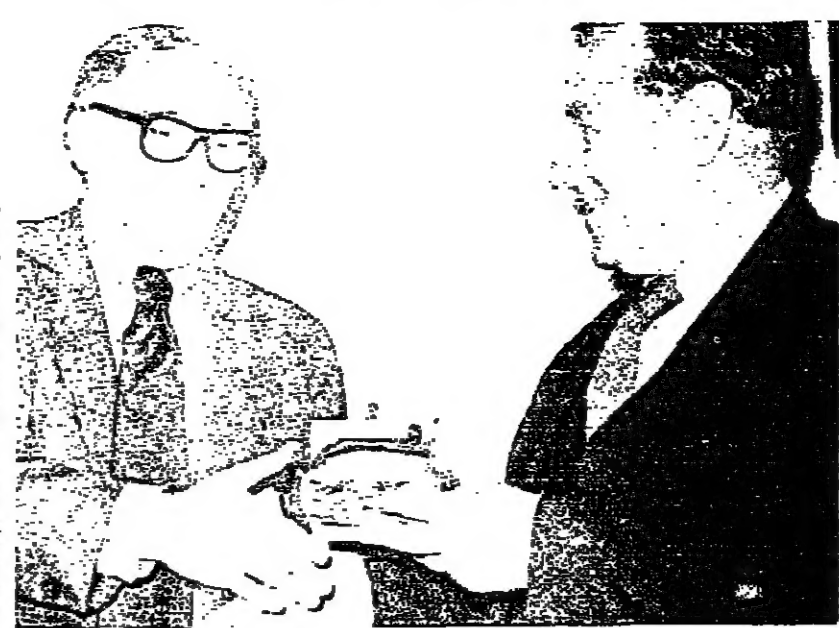
Those who argued that at a time

of sophisticated weaponry the location of borders was no longer vital should be reminded that only infantry and tank forces could physically occupy a country, the Deputy Premier said. The air bombardment of Eastland during the German blitz and the Allied air assault on Germany in World War II showed that wars could not be decided without occupying forces.

If a democratic and free society was to be consistent with militarily defensible borders, a solution would have to be found for the non-Jewish population that was both democratic and humane, he said. He advocated a Jewish state with a strong Arab minority, rather than a bi-national state.

Mr. Allon emphasized that he was in favour of fixing new borders with safeguards for security and a peace treaty, "and not a unilateral withdrawal on our part. I don't take a signed peace treaty lightly," he said. While admitting that settlements in Golan and in Sinai strengthened Israel's security, he said, "we have to decide where we should not settle."

There were indications of a readiness for talks in Jordan and also in Egypt, and a favourable climate for political move in Israel, he declared. "Perhaps negotiations will sprout in these conditions."



The director of Shaare Zedek Hospital, Prof. David Maier, left, presents newly minted Shaare Zedek Medal yesterday to Mayor Teddy Kolek at a ceremony in City Hall commemorating the centennial of the Shaare Zedek Founders' Committee.

## Shaare Zedek marks 100 years since conception

Jerusalem Post Reporter

Jerusalem's Shaare Zedek Hospital marked the 100th anniversary of its conception yesterday with a ceremony at City Hall.

The hospital, Jerusalem's oldest, was conceived at a meeting 100 years ago of a "founders' committee" organized by members of the Jewish Communities of Frankfurt-am-Main and Amsterdam. The existing hospital was opened in 1903 on Jaffa Road — then well out of town — after permission to build outside the city walls was obtained through the

intervention of the German Kaiser with the Ottoman authorities.

The hospital provided Jerusalem with modern medical care and the city's orthodox Jewish population with an alternative to the mission-linked hospitals.

The hospital's new medical centre, now being built opposite Mount Herzl, is a \$30 million, 500-bed complex. It covers 60 dunams, three times the size of the existing hospital grounds.

At yesterday's ceremony, hospital director Prof. David Maier said.

The new building will be completed in four years. He said he hoped to see a hospital for the chronically ill built alongside it and that the school of nursing would be upgraded to university level. In the more distant future, he hoped the hospital would have a medical school attached to it.

Health Minister Victor Shemtov revealed at the ceremony that an \$80-million tract will soon be acquired for a new Misgav Ladach Hospital in the south of the city, near Gilo (Beit Jallah).

Mayor Teddy Kolek said increased medical services planned for the city include the addition of facilities at Hadassah Hospital, the moving of the not-too-distant future of Bikur Holim Hospital to a new site and broader health services for the city's Arab population.

## Nurses strike today for higher wages, shorter day

By MACABEE DEAN

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — Some 11,000 nurses throughout the country will hold a one-day warning strike today for more pay and better working conditions. The Nurses' Union informed Kupat Holim, the municipalities and the Government yesterday that only emergency services would be maintained, especially in the hospitals, and that no patient would suffer because of the strike.

But most of the nurses will not turn up to work at clinics and outpatient departments, the Union said.

The nurses' main demands are for a one-hour shorter working day and 75 per cent pay increase. Both the Health Ministry and Kupat Holim have refused both demands. They said the severe shortage of nurses precluded a shorter working day, and that all wage increases must be within the 25 per cent framework agreed upon by the Histadrut and the Government.

A Ministry spokesman said yesterday the nurses had called the strike while negotiations were still going on. The nurses had failed to apply for Histadrut approval of the strike or give the mandatory two-week notice. A nurses' spokesman said the strike was called after all their demands were rejected.

A similar reply has now been transmitted officially to the ICAO secretary-general, officials said in Jerusalem yesterday. They did not know when the investigating team was to be expected.

## ICAO team to probe plane crash

POST Diplomatic Correspondent

Israel has agreed to a request from the International Civil Aviation Organization that a "fact-finding investigation" team of ICAO experts visit Israel to inquire into the Libyan airplane incident. The investigation team will first visit Libya and Egypt and then come to Israel.

The ICAO request came in a message from its secretary-general which reached Jerusalem on Sunday. Israel's observer at the ICAO Executive meeting at Montreal last week, Mr. Ya'acov Doron, had already indicated that Israel would respond positively to ICAO's wish to send a team out here. He recalled the Cabinet's decision to render all assistance and provide all information on the plane crash to authorized and competent international bodies.

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## Body of plane victim returned via Kantara

The body of Abu Bakr Mohammed, the 16th victim of the Libyan plane disaster, was transferred to Egypt yesterday.

The 33-year-old Libyan died at Beersheba's Soroka Medical Centre Thursday, after doctors tried for more than two weeks to save his life. The transfer was made at Kantara, via the Red Cross.

Of the 112 passengers on the Libyan airliner which was forced down over Sinai on February 21, only five are still alive. Three of them remain in Israeli hospitals; two have been returned to Egypt.

## State Cup games today, tomorrow

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — The sixth round in the State Soccer Cup competition will be played this afternoon and tomorrow.

Among the matches scheduled for today, League A teams Holon Hapoel and Hadera Hapoel face National League competition. Holon entertains League leaders Hakoah of Ramat Gan. In the last round Holon ousted another National League team, Beersheba Hapoel.

Hadera have an equally difficult game playing away against Haifa Maccabi. Earlier, the Hadera XI beat Tel Aviv Beter.

Today's other fixtures are Kfar Saba Hapoel vs. Tel Aviv Hapoel; Petah Tikva Hapoel vs. Jaffa Maccabi; Haifa Hapoel vs. Jerusalem Hapoel; and Shimonon vs. Marmorek Hapoel. In tomorrow's games, Petah Tikva Maccabi face Jerusalem Beter and Tel Aviv Maccabi plays Netanya Maccabi.

## The Honorary Officers, Executive Council, and Members of the British Zionist Federation, and the Israel office are grieved at the passing of

## AVRAM I. RICHTIGER

whose dedication to Israel and to the Zionist movement has carved him a never to be forgotten place in British Zionism. We extend sincere condolences to his widow, Joyce, and to all members of the family.

## A Memorial Service and the Unveiling of the Tombstone for our dear

## Dr. YEHUDA GERA

will be held on Thursday, March 15, 1973 at 3 p.m. in the Givat Shaul Cemetery. A bus will leave from Beit Ha'am, Jerusalem, at 2.30 p.m.

Relatives and those who cherish his memory will meet at the cemetery gate at 2.45 p.m.

THE FAMILY

## ISRAEL LABOUR PARTY — Bonn young socialist 'undermine Israel'

Jerusalem Post Political Reporter

TEL AVIV. — In a sharp reaction to the anti-Israel stand adopted at the recent West German Young Socialist conference, the Israel Labour Party said yesterday that the resolutions passed at the Bonn meeting "encourage the undermining of Israel's survival."

In an official statement issued yesterday by the party spokesman, Labour held that "These decisions deviate from any reasonable framework of disagreements between sister movements irrespective of the so-called clarification of JUSO (the youth section of Chancellor Willy Brandt's Social Democrats) that it supports Israel's existence. These resolutions encourage the undermining of Israel's survival."

The subsequent walk-out by the two young Israeli delegates from the JUSO conference and breaking-off of ties was decided on jointly by Labour Party Secretary-General Aharon Yadin, party international department head Michael Harish and youth division secretary Yehiel Leket.

Welcoming the official censure of the JUSO stand by the Secretary of the West German Social Democratic party (S.P.D.), the Israel Labour party stressed it did not hold the adult party responsible for its youth section, and trusted that the amicable relations between the parties would remain unimpaired.

Observers here wonder whether the incident may affect the planned departure of an official Israel Labour party delegation to West Germany in the near future in advance of the scheduled visit to Israel by Mr. Brandt.

Mr. Leket, in a statement issued last night, revealed that whereas the JUSO leadership had never bothered to take up a number of invitations to visit Israel in recent years, they had sent two official missions to Beirut and one to Cairo.

The severance of ties with JUSO did not imply a wish for a break with Socialist youth in Germany, he said, and the Israel Labour youth would continue to strengthen ties with young German trade unionists and Socialist youth movements.

He charged that the JUSO leadership had misled the Israel Labour party youth division, by advising it that no Middle East resolutions would be aired. He noted that the recent bureau meeting in Jerusalem of the International Union of Socialist Youth (IUSY) had resolved to exclude discussion on the Middle East from the agenda of its forthcoming conference in Malta.

The Labour Party Youth Division said in an official statement last night that it was "shocking" that only 30 years after the horrors of the Hitlerist Holocaust, German youth, calling themselves Socialists, should find themselves able to support terrorist organizations seeking to annihilate the State of Israel."

The Labour party youth agreed

## 500 J'LEM PHONES OUT OF ORDER

Some 500 telephones in central Jerusalem, including those of the Pruginim Kupat Holim branch, were out of order yesterday due to damage from a burst water main. The Communications Ministry said yesterday.

Technicians worked all day to dry the damaged area in order to repair the cable. They provided the Kupat Holim branch with a temporary connection in the meantime, the Ministry said.

## Rabin to speak for United Israel Appeal

Yitzhak Rabin, who has just completed his term as Ambassador to the U.S., will leave on a speaking tour of several European countries for the opening of the 1973 Keren Hayesod — United Israel Appeal campaigns.

In the past, Mr. Rabin appeared on behalf of the appeal during his tenure as Chief of Staff.

that "there can be no putting the blame for the evils wrought by the parent generation on all German youth. However it must be said young people cannot escape from the history of their own people and we witness an exaggerated desire by young Germans to break completely with their past which offends in serious distortions of the truth."

The statement concluded that "it should serve as a serious warning to the entire German leadership."

## Israel belongs to Europe'

Jerusalem Post Staff

The Chairman of the Consultative Assembly of the Council of Europe, Mr. Giuseppe Vedovato, said yesterday he hoped Israeli delegations would one day attend the Council not merely as observers, as at present, but as members with full rights.

Mr. Vedovato was speaking yesterday at a luncheon in the Knesset given in his honour by Speaker Yisrael Yeshayahu. He said the while Israel was technically part of Asia, it was thoroughly suited to belong to Europe.

Speaker Yeshayahu recalled the Jewish people had suffered the worst persecutions in Europe. However, some of the most splendid works of their cultural heritage were produced on that continent.

Mr. Yeshayahu said Europe could serve as an example to other areas of nations which had been at war learning to live together in peace.

Attending the luncheon were Knesset Members Yisrael Hara (Alignment) and Avraham Shechter (Mapai), Israel's observers at the Council of Europe, and the Chairman of the Knesset Foreign Affairs and Defence Committee Haim Zadek.

After lunch, Mr. Vedovato and his party sat in on the Knesset session from the V.I.P. gallery and were formally welcomed by Mr. Yeshayahu from his rostrum.

## Peres backs Dayan for P.M.

Jerusalem Post Staff

Communications Minister and ex-Radi member Shimon Peres started a "Dayan for Premier" campaign yesterday in an informal meeting with Hebrew University students.

Mr. Peres told the students at the Mount Scopus campus that he would support Defence Minister Moshe Dayan as the next premier — if Prime Minister Golda Meir refused the Labour Party's invitation to remain in office after the October general elections. Mr. Peres pointed to Mr. Dayan's "wartime victories and peacetime readiness, as manifested in his open bridges policy" as proof that he was qualified for the job.

On civil aviation, the Minister said Israel's Arab neighbours would have to learn that they could not turn the skies of the Middle East into a battlefield. He added that, in order to avert air disasters, it was necessary to make arrangements whereby all the countries of the region could report to all others on the movement of their planes.

Answering questions from members of the Shiluv group of the Labour Party at Beit Agnon in the evening, Mr. Peres deplored the absence of direct, personal elections in Israel's democracy and suggested the introduction of primary voting in the U.S. model. Mr. Peres stepped a question on whether he wants to continue with his present portfolios of Transport and Communications after the October elections.

## Former chief of B.B.C. to advise Israeli T.V.

Jerusalem Post Reporter

The Israel Broadcasting Authority has appointed Sir Hugh Greene, former head of the B.B.C., as its expert adviser on the television service.

Some weeks ago Yigal Allon, the Minister of Education, announced that it had been decided to call on a foreign expert to advise on possible improvements. The appointment of Sir Hugh was announced at a meeting of the plenum on Sunday by the chairman, Walter Eytan.

Sir Hugh was Director-General of the B.B.C. from 1960 to 1969. The "B.B.C. Handbook" says this "period which is already becoming known as 'the Greene era...' Certainly, by the time Sir Hugh retired in 1969, the B.B.C. so often in the past accused of being excessively 'auntish' in its attitudes, was now being charged with being too permissive."

Among controversial series that Sir Hugh was said to have introduced were "That Was the Week That Was," "Till Death Do Us Part," and "Step into the Light." The B.B.C. also achieved world-wide endorsement for "The Forsythe Saga" and Sir Kenneth Clark's "Civilization," both serialized on Israel T.V.

## 1,500 to get unemployment grants soon

Jerusalem Post Reporter

Despite the continuing labour shortage, some 1,500 Israelis will receive unemployment grants shortly. They will be the first to benefit from the Unemployment Insurance Law, which became effective on January 1.

Addressing members of the Jerusalem Labour Council this week, Histadrut social security head Moshe Sadeh explained that a person can become eligible for the unemployment payments for a variety of reasons, providing he is registered for job placement with his local Labour Exchange. The size of the payments is governed by several factors, such as family status and health.

Saying he doubted the present Knesset would enact a compulsory pension law, Mr. Sadeh urged industrial workers to press for a comprehensive pension plan now.

At present, there are two types of pension schemes in operation — "basic" and "comprehensive." The former, which covers industrial workers, bases its payments on a worker's starting wage and social benefits; the latter bases payments on the worker's last wage and social benefits. So far only service workers have gained comprehensive pension protection.

According to Mr. Sadeh, "many industrial workers become welfare cases shortly after retiring" because they have no comprehensive pension plan to back them up.

## Sign language to be used at int'l parley

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — More than 200 of the 500 participants at the Fourth International Conference on Deafness will be deaf-mutes. They will listen to the lectures at the week-long conference, which starts on March 18, through "sign-language."

This was stated yesterday at a press conference given by the Israel sponsors, the Israel Association of the Deaf and Mute.

In all some 200 to 250 participants will come from abroad, including from East Europe (Rumania, Yugoslavia, and one from Poland), as well as from Iran. Some 85 scientific papers will be read, including 25 by Israelis.

There are some 3,000 deaf-mutes in Israel, the overwhelming majority members of the Israel association.

## Girl, 2, killed by truck

NAZARETH. — A two-year-old girl was run over and killed yesterday afternoon in the eastern quarter of town.

Hitam Ahmed Zarini was crushed under the wheel of a large truck while she was playing in the street. She was rushed to the Italian Hospital here, where she was pronounced dead on arrival.

The driver, a local man, was detained for questioning. (TIM)

## Knesset votes down

(Continued from page one)

the bill on the second and third readings in his capacity as chairman of the Law, Constitution and Justice Committee. He recalled that the measure was tabled in the Sixth Knesset in 1968.

A few weeks before the Sixth Knesset rose in 1969, the bill passed its first reading, but the Government which came in after the elections to the Seventh Knesset decided to give the bill parliamentary continuity till the summer of 1970. Dr. Goldschmidt said.

He said the direct elections measure would hopefully liberate mayors from the pressures of splinter factions in the city council. It would also ensure that the best possible men advance their candidacy.

The atmosphere in the building was tense as all the factions mobilized their forces for the crucial vote. A majority of Members present and voting was needed, but not an absolute majority (of at least 61).

Premier Golda Meir turned up, as well as most of the Cabinet. A large number of city mayors, party officials and other interested persons milled around the lobbies and restaurants, or sat in the galleries upstairs.

As Members chatted with each other around the building in small groups, smoking nervously and predicting results, the House left the impression that the bill for the direct election of mayors was being regarded as the major parliamentary contest of the Seventh Knesset.

Excitement was increased when the State List put out a statement saying that it would support Labour on the clause whereby 40 per cent of the popular vote was enough to get the mayor in. The State List explained that although it preferred 50 per cent in principle, it realized that Golda's sponsorship of the 50 per cent qualification was really a blow at the

bill, since Labour would not continue to support the bill on that basis.

Labour's Mordechai Ben Porat, who was one of the co-sponsors of the direct mayoral elections measure, and worked day and night to ensure its passage through the various political and parliamentary stages, counted off for The Post the potential support. With two Labour M.K.s sick and two abroad, Mr. Ben-Porat said he could count on a maximum of 45 from Labour; four from the State List plus break-away independent Meir Avizohar; and four M.K.s from the Arab and Druse lists.

The stand against the bill taken by the L.L.P. was particularly galling, he said, though he had not despaired of a change of heart. Although the L.L.P. was committed to the direct elections measure — its founder, Pinhas Rosen, was a co-sponsor of the bill — the L.L.P. was angered with Labour over the Ofer-Bader surplus votes electoral reform, and was showing it by defecting on this measure.

Mr. Ben-Porat told The Post that he had spent a long time arguing with Mr. Pinhas Rosen (who is no longer an M.K.), and still hoped for L.L.P. backing. He added that although the Free Centre had decided to vote against Labour on this (also because of the Ofer-Bader measure), he had a hint directly from the Free Centre's Eliezer Shostak that it might change its mind at the last minute.

When the session opened, the L.L.P.'s Nissim Ellad took the podium for a point of order, and asked for the vote to be delayed for one week. Speaker Yeshayahu rejected the proposal out of hand, without even putting it to a vote. He may have calculated that it would be a tremendous task for the factions to mobilize their full forces for a second occasion — especially as they were all keyed up to yesterday's dramatic vote.

## THE WEATHER

Forecast: Warm and dry, with variable amounts of high and medium clouds. Weather synopsis: A barometric ridge over East Mediterranean causes a warm and dry southerly flow over our region.

Yesterday's	Yesterday's	Today's
High/Low	High/Low	High/Low
Jerusalem 39/23	39/23	41/23
Golan 23/16	23/16	25/17
Nahariya 23/16	23/16	25/17
Safad 20/16	20/16	22/17
Haifa 20/16	20/16	22/17
Tiberias 27/19	27/19	29/20
Nazareth 27/19	27/19	29/20
Afula 27/19	27/19	29/20
Shimonon 27/19	27/19	29/20
Tel Aviv 33/23	33/23	35/24
Lod 33/23	33/23	35/24
Jericho 18/6	18/6	20/7
Caesarea 18/6	18/6	20/7
Beersheba 12/6	12/6	14/7
Eilat 16/11	16/11	18/12
Tiran 25/15	25/15	27/16

## Social and Personal

A group of trade union presidents from Philadelphia, currently visiting Israel, were luncheon guests of Housing Minister Ze'ev Sharaf at the Knesset yesterday.

The State Comptroller, Dr. I.E. Nebenzahl, was luncheon guest yesterday of The Jerusalem Post's editorial staff.

Mr. Gerd Muhr, Vice-President of the German Trades Union Federation (DGB) yesterday called on the Deputy Secretary-General of the Histadrut, Mr. Yeruham Meshel.

Members of the Israel Bonds Philadelphia Labour delegation visited the Hebrew University of Jerusalem yesterday, meeting Vice-President Bernard Cherrick.

The annual "Bring and Buy" sale of goods made and donated by the members and friends of Ya'el, the Hadassah Hospital Ladies' Auxiliary in Jerusalem, was held yesterday at the Hospital's Kennedy Building.

Steven Adler was elected chairman of the Jerusalem branch of the Association of Americans and Canadians in Israel at a general meeting of the membership last night. Other officers elected at the same meeting: Phil Horn, chairman of the Executive Committee; vice-chairmen: Tybille Yermish, Wallace Hirsch, Meyer Bartgelt, and Harriet Mouchly; Abraham Schechter, treasurer; Harry Dubers and Marvin Hankin, assistant treasurers; Oscar Braverman, secretary.

After the elections there was "A Meet the Press" evening moderated by Michael Elkins (B.B.C.). With him were Jay Bushinsky (Westinghouse), Geoffrey Paul ("Jewish Chronicle") and Avi Pazner, of the Foreign Ministry.

The Israel Academy of Sciences and Humanities announces a guest-lecture (in Hebrew) by Prof. Shaul Shaked on "Problems in Iran's Relations with Other Cultures during the Sassanian Period" tonight at 6.15 p.m. at the Academy, 43 Jabotinsky Road, Talbith, Jerusalem.

Les Amities Israel-France-Jerusalem and L'Union des Juifs de France invite the public to a lecture by M. Jean Soler, Cultural Attache at the French Embassy, on "Theatre of Ionesco," on Wednesday at 8.30 p.m. at Beit Hillel, Jerusalem.

## BIRTH

BEN-YITZHAK — To Michael and Rivka (nee Solfer), a son, at Hadassah, March 12, 1973.

## IN MEMORIAM

A memorial meeting to mark the first anniversary of the death of Ellahu Pardess, former Sephardi Chief Rabbi of Jerusalem, will be held tomorrow, at 5 p.m., at the Yohanan Ben-Zakai Synagogue in the Old City of Jerusalem. The ceremony is sponsored by the Chief Rabbinate, the Religious Affairs Ministry, the Jerusalem Municipality and its Religious Council.

A memorial service was held yesterday at the graveside of Yosef Greiver at the Kiryat Shaul cemetery to mark the shloshim of the death of one of the pioneers of Israel's tourism industry. Rabbi Israel Lau eulogized the deceased, who was the founder of the Patra travel agency and one of the heads of the Israel travel agencies association.

## ARRIVALS

Professor R. McWeney of the University of Sheffield, is in the Department of Chemistry of the Technion, for a period of six weeks. Ralph Cohov, a Relativist from New York, on behalf of the Corporation (by El Al).

## DEPARTURES

Greek composer Mikos Theodorakis, after a series of appearances here (by El Al).

## Mayor won't see striking T.A. firemen

By SARAH HONTIG

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. — Mayor Yehoshua Rabinowitz yesterday refused to meet with the city's firemen — on a partial strike since Sunday morning — insisting he would negotiate with them only through the Municipal Employees' Union.

The firemen, who are demanding new grades (and more pay), are still putting out fires and saving lives. But they are refusing to do chores around the station houses or fill out reports that would enable the City to bill citizens for some of the services performed.

Both the Union and the Histadrut have refused to support the strike, saying the firemen's demands are "exorbitant." And since the Union also insists that only it can negotiate with the Municipality on behalf of most city employees including the firemen — the deadlock continues.

In deep sorrow, I announce the sudden death of my husband

## WALTER MENDEL

Please refrain from condolence visits.

LENI MENDEL (Wife)

17/D, Rehov Zafirim, Haifa.

Our beloved father, grandfather and great grandfather

## ISRAEL FREEMAN

of Toronto, Canada

passed away on March 11, 1973.

Daughter, Shirley and Phil Hornfield (Kraicer)

Grandchildren, Dr. Peretz and Ruth Kraicer and sons

Aviva and Yossie Ben Arye and sons

Brothers, Mordecai Moshe Ben Dror, Shimon Drori and their families.

In great sorrow, we announce the passing abroad of our beloved

## DAVID SHALKOVSKY

THE BEREAVED FAMILY

The funeral will be held in Israel; date and place to be announced.







## After three-month recess U.S. and Soviets resume Salt talks

GENEVA (AP). — U.S. and Soviet chief negotiators yesterday resumed the second phase of their super-secret Strategic Arms Limitation Talks — Salt II — after a recess of almost three months.

U.S. Ambassador Alexis Johnson and Soviet Deputy Foreign Minister Vladimir Semenov conferred for almost two hours in the Soviet mission to fix the time of the first plenary session, due later this week.

The next meeting was scheduled for today at the U.S. mission. Delegation sources said the meeting dealt only with organizational questions and did not go into substance. Mr. Johnson is a newcomer to the talks, succeeding Gerard Smith who successfully negotiated Salt I and also headed the U.S. delegation for the preliminary Salt II session which ended December 21.

The talks are now headed for a most sensitive phase that may last until mid-summer or longer. Control of the Mirvs — the multiple independently targeted re-entry vehicles — is supposed to figure foremost among the proposed moves toward a comprehensive treaty putting curbs on all offensive strategic weapons — the proclaimed goal of Salt II.

The U.S. has a huge lead in MIRV development. The Soviet Union, so far, is not known to have a single MIRV, although experts believe the time may not be far away. The Russians' large missiles, in which they have a superiority, could eventually carry MIRVs more powerful than the U.S. versions deployed in Minuteman and Poseidon missiles.

The Soviets are understood to have raised the MIRV question in a surprise move during the opening phase of the Salt talks. Reportedly, they also proposed that Salt II include some 700 tactical bombers based in Europe, capable of carrying nuclear arms to the Soviet Union.

However, the Soviets are said to be against matching this by including their 700 intermediate range missiles aimed at Western Europe in a Salt II package.

By Soviet definition, only those arms should be considered strategic which could reach the territory of either Superpower, it was reported.

## No cash from Libya for Israeli ouster — Amin

NAIROBI (Reuters). — President Idi Amin of Uganda denied yesterday that Libya had induced him with offers of aid to order his break of diplomatic relations with Israel last year and the expulsion of the 500 Israelis in Uganda.

The official Ugandan radio, monitored here, said Amin made his denial in a speech during memorial rites for one of his sisters who died recently.

The radio quoted him as saying that some countries, which he did not name, were saying that "Libya gave General Amin a lot of money" so that he could send the Israelis away.



The Hofburg Congress Centre in Vienna where West-East talks are being held on mutual troop reductions in central Europe. (Israel Sun photo)

## West may compromise on Hungary at troop talks

BRUSSELS (AP). — Western negotiators had a new offer in hand yesterday in their effort to get talks started with the Soviet Union on force reductions in Central Europe.

It was contained in a message sent them by Joseph Luns, North Atlantic Treaty Organization Secretary-General. A statement by his office said he had sent negotiators in Vienna "a message allowing them to make a further effort with their counterparts from the Warsaw Pact to enable the exploratory talks to proceed."

The statement did not disclose the content of the message, but said it was made on behalf of the Allied governments involved.

Since they opened on January 31, the talks have been stalled over the question of which countries are to take part, and with what status. The main issue is over Hungary.

The Western powers want it to participate fully, so that the number of Soviet troops on its soil can be restricted, while the Soviets have opposed its full participation.

Spokesmen refused to confirm or deny a report the new Allied proposal was to put aside the Hungarian question for the present and proceed to other subjects. An agreement to this effect could allow a second meeting to be held by the representatives of the 19 countries assembled in Vienna.

Some Western officials have been growing restless at the lack of progress in Vienna. The Soviets have never shown much enthusiasm for the force reduction talks, but are eager to press the preparations in Helsinki for a conference on security and cooperation in Europe. The Western allies say the two projects are linked.

## IATA decision:

## SOME AIR FARES UP BY 2-11.1 PER CENT

LONDON (UPI). — The International Air Transport Association (IATA) said yesterday some airlines will increase fares from two to 11.1 per cent to compensate for changes in currency values since devaluation of the U.S. dollar last month.

The decision was taken at a two-week IATA conference in London which ended Thursday. Since devaluation, IATA fares and rates have remained frozen at the old levels.

"The London meeting concluded that the continuing uncertainties at the governmental level in the international monetary field, and airline marketing considerations, required an interim solution in order to provide a measure of protection and stability for industry revenues," a statement said.

The new fares cover routes in the Americas, Europe, Africa, the Middle East, Asia and the Pacific.

Negotiations covering transatlantic routes are continuing in London. IATA said there would be no change in fares in many countries, particularly those whose currencies have not been devalued. It did not specify which countries' fares would rise.

The new fares, to take effect in April or May, are subject to approval by the governments concerned.

IATA Director-General Knut Hammarskjöld said the new currency adjustments would not provide full revenue compensation for the reduced international purchasing power of some currencies. He said they represent an "interim solution, pending agreement between governments on new permanent monetary arrangements."

(El Al is not expected to decide on its own on an increase in its fares and will fall in line with other international airlines, a spokesman for the company said last night.)

## Leftists, fascists clash in Naples

NAPLES (AP). — Hundreds of leftist and neo-fascist youths battled with bricks, bottles and gasoline bombs in downtown Naples Sunday night. Police arrested 78, including 16 women.

The fighting broke out when a group of 300 neo-fascists paraded through the streets after a speech by their leader Giorgio Almirante. At the headquarters of an ultra-leftist political group, leftists on a fourth floor balcony threw bottles and firebombs on the marchers.

## Finland negotiating with Comecon

HELSINKI (AP). — Finland yesterday became the first non-satellite country to open formal negotiations with the eastern trade bloc Comecon on a possible agreement of cooperation.

A top level Finnish delegation led by Foreign Trade Minister Jussi Linnamo has begun four days of talks in Moscow with the Permanent Secretariat of the Comcon, an official announcement said.

Finland, which has initiated but not yet signed a free trade agreement with the Common Market, opened first contacts with Comecon in 1971. Preliminary talks resulted last January in a Finnish proposal about possible areas of cooperation. The proposal was accepted as a basis for negotiations by Comecon a month later.

It suggested that Finland and Comecon could cooperate in statistics, standardization, economics and perhaps also within the activities of the Comecon Investment Bank.

**CABLES IN BRIEF**  
FILM — A three-and-a-half minute colour documentary film on world telecommunications is being offered free to television stations everywhere by the Geneva-based International Telecommunications Union (ITU) to mark the fifth World Telecommunication Day on May 17.

**TOURISM** — About 11,500,000 tourists visited Czechoslovakia last year — seven million more than in the previous year, according to official statistics. East Germans can now cross into Czechoslovakia with only an identity card.

## Khartoum terrorists charged with murder

Jerusalem Post Arab Affairs Reporter

Sudan's Prosecutor General yesterday brought four charges, including murder, against the eight Black September terrorists who assassinated two American and a Belgian diplomat during the attack on the Saudi Arabian Embassy in Khartoum 10 days ago.

Khartoum's Government newspaper "As-Sahafa" said the terrorists face the maximum penalty of death by hanging on the murder charge.

The newspaper said a commission appointed under the Prosecutor General to investigate the terrorist attack on the Embassy had leveled four charges against the terrorists: murder; trespassing on private property with intent to commit injury and assault; criminal intimidation; and wrongful confinement with intent to commit an illegal act. The second and the third charges are each punishable by a maximum penalty of seven years' imprisonment and the fourth by a maximum of three years, the newspaper said.

## NO TRIAL DATE

"As-Sahafa" said the terrorists were still being questioned, but added that no date had yet been set for the trial.

Meanwhile, the "Palestinian students union" has appealed to Egyptian President Anwar Sadat to intervene personally to tackle what the union described as Sudan's escalation of the drive against the terrorist movement. Cairo's "Al-Ahram" said yesterday the union also sent Sudanese President Ja'far Numeiri a message attacking his Government's attitude.

Abdel Latif Abu Hajla, director of the Palestine Liberation Organization office in Khartoum, left yesterday for Cairo, his wife told Reuters.

The Palestine News Agency (WAPA) reported in Beirut Sunday that he was under arrest in Khartoum, together with members of his family. The report was denied by the Sudanese.

Hajla's wife told Reuters by telephone that her husband had left for Cairo aboard a Sudan Airways flight in the morning.

## Saudia to give second half of Ugandan loan

NAIROBI (Reuters). — Saudi Arabia has agreed to hand over at once the second half of a \$2,750,000 loan to Uganda agreed on last year, it was announced yesterday.

The official Uganda radio said that the Saudi Ambassador in Uganda, Abdullah Habib, had told President Amin at a meeting in Kampala yesterday morning that King Faisal had cabled him authorizing commitment of the rest of the loan.

The first half of the loan was delivered last year.

President Amin told the Ambassador that the Saudi aid was "the best I have received." Radio Uganda said. This was because, unlike other, particularly British assistance loans, it was not tied to any particular project or purpose.

The Ambassador also told the President that the Saudi monarch was fulfilling a pledge made when he visited Uganda last year to donate \$80,000 toward a new Islamic centre in the Uganda garrison town of Jinja.

General Amin said that the grant to the Islamic centre, and the loan, were a clear demonstration of the goodwill that the Saudi monarch and his people bore toward Uganda.

## Two Lebanese officers deny 'irregularities'

BEIRUT (Reuters). — Two officers of the Lebanese Army Intelligence denied charges of irregularities under the past two administrations when their trial resumed before a military court here yesterday.

Sixteen officers and non-commissioned officers are being tried — five of them in their absence — on charges of wasting state funds, destroying official documents and interfering in civil affairs. Most of them have been cashiered.

Captain George Harrouk, one of the accused, denied that he was personally responsible for destroying army files and that he had received an oral order to this effect from the former army commander.

Another officer, Major Edgar Maalouf, denied charges of wasting funds, burning documents or holding political meetings at the home of a politician. He said he had called on former President Fuad Chehab to discuss a thesis he had written on the Suez Canal.

## Mass vote on new Syrian constitution

DAMASCUS. — More than two million Syrians voted yesterday in a plebiscite aimed at giving the country its first permanent constitution in 12 years. Political observers here expect the vote to run around 90 per cent in favour of the constitution when the results are announced, probably this morning.

The new referendum would place most of the power in the hands of strongman president Hafez Assad, the 46-year-old Air Force general who seized power in a bloodless coup in November 1970.

In addition to his post as president, the constitution makes Assad commander-in-chief of the armed forces, secretary-general of the ruling Ba'ath Socialist Party, and president of the National Progressive Front, which links minority parties with the Ba'athists. It also empowers the President, who has a seven-year term, to appoint and dismiss vice-presidents, premiers and Government ministers.

The 157-article constitution de-

scribes Syria as a "socialist, people's democracy" with a planned economy. As soon as it is adopted, the constitution will go into effect and general elections will be within 90 days.

This was in line with basic ideas of the pan-Arab Ba'athist movement which have ruled Syria since 1963. However, squabbling within the party hierarchy had prevented a permanent constitution since Syria ended its short-lived union with Egypt in 1961. A national constitution was introduced in 1969 but never formally promulgated.

Demonstrations in Damascus, Aleppo, Hama and Hama followed promulgation of the constitution on January 31. The Government said it was fostered by "reactionary elements" and threatened to take legal measures to curb them. It was reportedly directed against a fact that no mention was made of the constitution that Syria is a Moslem state. (UPI, Reuters)

## Sadat due to present 'important M.E. report'

By ANAN SAFADI

Jerusalem Post Arab Affairs Reporter

Egyptian President Anwar Sadat has called an extraordinary meeting of Parliament and leaders of Egypt's only political party next week to hear "an important report" on the Middle East situation.

The official news media announced the meeting last night shortly after Government spokesman criticized U.S. Secretary of State William Rogers for implying that diplomatic progress was being made in the Middle East. The spokesman said that Mr. Rogers had instructed in a TV interview on Sunday that his recent talks with Jordan's King Hussein, Egypt's presidential adviser Hafez Ismail, and Israel Prime Minister Golda Meir have been encouraging, and that the three parties appeared to be willing to negotiate a Middle East settlement.

"This is entirely untrue," said the Egyptian spokesman. Mr. Rogers' statement, he said, was "an attempt to sow dissension among the Arab countries in accordance with a psychological war being waged by the U.S. and Israel against the Arab's home fronts."

The spokesman denied that progress was being made, and said that Egypt would not negotiate or bargain on its basic position, a complete Israeli withdrawal from the restoration of the rights of Palestinian people.

The remarks seemed to indicate that Cairo was showing down recent diplomatic offensive, which was climaxed late last month with Ismail's visit to Washington. It coincided with a statement by Jordanian Foreign Minister Salah al-Zaid that his country as well as Egypt will not concede any of its rights, especially in Jerusalem.

There were also reports from Egyptian capital that chiefs of state from 18 Arab nations had been called for a meeting early in the month to discuss a military strategy planned by Egypt's War Minister Ahmed Ismail Ali. He was named by a conference of Arab defence and foreign ministers commander-in-chief of the front Arab countries of Egypt, Syria, Jordan.

At least ten people have been arrested here, apparently in connection with the cover of an armed subversive movement announced at the weekend to Moroccan opposition newspaper "Maghreb Informations."

At the top of the list the mentioned Maitre Omar Bengelloun, a Casablanca lawyer and prominent leftist militant, whose arrest was announced in an official communiqué on Saturday. He is accused of being one of the leaders of armed but allegedly trained and armed Libya.

Bengelloun, a leader of the nationalist opposition party, Union Nationale des Forces Populaires (UNFP), is also director of party's weekly newspaper "Al Mubarriz." The editor of the weekly Mustapha el-Kechrouh, was arrested. "Maghreb Informations" also listed three teachers in Marrakech, one person in the nearby town of Kettara and another Khemisset, farming town 80 km east of Rabat.

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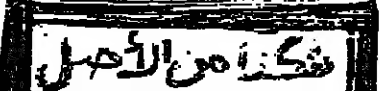
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# U.S. suspends troop withdrawal HANOI HANDS OVER P.O.W. LIST

VIGON. — The U.S. delegation yesterday received a list of 108 prisoners due for release at Hanoi's Gia Lam airport tomorrow, U.S. officials here said.

The U.S. announced it was suspending the withdrawal of the less than 7,000 American troops still in Vietnam as insurance that North Vietnam and a Vietnamese would release the remaining 228 American prisoners held.

The Vietnamese have promised to send over today a list of approximately 30 American prisoners who will be released on Thursday, also at Hanoi.

This will end the third phase of negotiations, leaving only one more group of P.O.W.s to be freed in the fourth and final phase. March 28 is the deadline for the withdrawal of 11 American and other foreign allied forces as well as for the repatriation of 555 P.O.W.s to the Communist side.

A North Vietnamese member of the Joint Military Commission, Lieutenant-Colonel Bui Tin, disclosed before yesterday's list was received by the U.S. delegation that it contained names of several U.S. air force colonels and other officers.

The U.S. delegation officials said the list handed over by the North Vietnamese delegation contained the names of 107 U.S. servicemen and one U.S. civilian.

The officials anticipate that the group of prisoners will include Maj. Floyd Thompson, the longest-held American captive, Philip Manhard, the highest ranking U.S. civilian, and Navy Lt. Cmdr. John McCain, III, the son of Adm. John McCain, Jr., former commander of U.S. forces in the Pacific who planned and directed much of the bombing of North Vietnam.

Meanwhile, the International Commission of Control and Supervision agreed unanimously yesterday to investigate two Vietnamese complaints — that South Vietnamese troops attacked a prisoner release site and Communist-controlled territory near the demilitarized zone. (Reuters, AP)

## Woman missionary killed in Taiwan

TAIPEI (AP). — An American woman missionary was found strangled in her bathtub at her home in the south Taiwan city of Tainan Sunday night.

The dead woman was identified as Gladys D. Hopewell, 68, a missionary and English teacher, who had lived in Taiwan for 18 years.

Nothing had been taken from Miss Hopewell's house, and police said they were attempting to locate her maid's husband for questioning.

## FBI agent shot during gunfire at Wounded Knee

WOUNDED KNEE, South Dakota (AP). — An exchange of gunfire wounded an FBI agent here on Sunday, shortly after the 200 Indians who have taken the village over declared themselves a separate state.

The gunplay came less than 24 hours after federal forces pulled down their roadblocks and withdrew from a perimeter a few miles from the center of the village.

The shooting involved a small truck the Indians smeared with mud and dubbed their "tank." Several FBI vehicles maintaining surveillance on roads into the village saw the truck about eight kms. west of Wounded Knee, officials said.

The FBI agents, who said they believed the vehicle was stolen, pursued the van, and there was an exchange of gunfire. The agent was struck in the right arm and was evacuated by helicopter.

Each side said the other fired first. Earlier, Russell Means, an Indian leader, announced over a loudspeaker a system that the village was "now the Oglala Sioux nation, a sovereign state."

Means told a crowd of a few hundred, "If any foreign official of any foreign country, specifically the U.S., tries to enter the village, it will be viewed as an act of war and treated accordingly. If any police enter the village, they will be treated like spies everywhere and will face a firing squad."

The Indians said they would issue visas to all nonresidents but news-

## Malaysia to open ties with Hanoi 'very soon'

KUALA LUMPUR (AP). — Malaysia will be establishing diplomatic relations with Hanoi very soon, the Secretary-General of the Foreign Ministry, Zaiton Ibrahim, said yesterday.

He said Malaysian Foreign Ministry officials are now in talks with North Vietnamese officials.

Malaysia already has diplomatic relations with the South Vietnamese regime.

It was also announced here yesterday that Malaysia is planning to have the first nuclear-powered station to supply electricity by 1985. The board has said it will seek U.N. assistance on the station.

Last year the Soviet Union offered the Malaysian electricity board its services to establish a nuclear-powered station.

## 'Soviets fear joint moves by China, Japan and U.S.'

TOKYO (AP). — Soviet Communist party leader Leonid Brezhnev seems to be "seriously concerned" about possible containment of the Soviet Union by Japan, China and the U.S., Kyodo news service said yesterday, quoting government sources.

Kyodo quoted sources as saying Mr. Brezhnev implied this at a meeting last Wednesday with Kiyoko Niseki, Japanese ambassador to Moscow.

Mr. Niseki, during the meeting at the Kremlin, handed Mr. Brezhnev a personal message from Prime Minister Kakuei Tanaka expressing Japan's continued desire for improving relations with the Soviet Union.

Mr. Tanaka expressed hope in the message that a second round of Japan-Soviet negotiations on concluding a peace treaty would be held this year. He added the Japanese government was interested in a joint undertaking of Siberian development projects.

However, in view of Soviet suspicions that the U.S., Japan and China might conspire against her, Russia would continue to take a tough stand on the northern territorial issue in negotiating a peace treaty with Japan, the sources said.

## Bermuda police say 2 gunmen killed Governor

HAMILTON, Bermuda (UPI). — Police sources said yesterday they were convinced two gunmen were involved in the week-end assassinations of Gov. Sir Richard Sharples and an aide as they walked the Governor's dog outside his official residence.

Officials also believed there was a direct link between the Saturday slayings and the unsolved shooting death almost exactly six months earlier of Police Commissioner George Duckett. But they said they did not know of a motive for the killings and had no definite suspects.

They said they were working on the theory there was some special significance in the fact the two Government officials were killed at almost the same hour, on a Saturday, six months apart.

## London may restrict visits from Eire

LONDON (AP). — Home Secretary Ian Gifford is reported examining proposals to impose immigration controls on persons travelling to and from Ireland. At present, there is free travel between the two countries.

Proposals follow last Thursday's bomb blasts in London which killed one man and wounded 243. Security authorities fear extremists could spark off more sabotage in Britain and perhaps even assassinate Government ministers.

At least 60 people have been killed in serious crimes committed in the last six days of the Northern Ireland Troubles. Those were held on charges of attempted murder, carrying firearms and explosives, hijacking and armed robbery.

A total of arrests so far this year stands at 294.

Police gave much of the credit for the arrests to a secret telephone system which guarantees the anonymity of anyone calling in with information.

CLAPDOWN. — Seoul police reported they had picked up 1,532 long-haired men, 1,113 people who dropped cigarette butts and paper in the street and 807 who urinated in improper places during the first two days of a crackdown on petty offenses.

## New conductor for New Philharmonia

LONDON (Reuters). — London's New Philharmonia Orchestra announced yesterday the appointment of a 31-year-old Italian musician, Riccardo Muti, as its principal conductor, succeeding 87-year-old Otto Klemperer.

Mr. Muti will take up his post next year, but will conduct two Philharmonia concerts at this year's Edinburgh festival. He is now principal conductor of the Florence Maggio Musicale orchestra.

The orchestra also announced two leading conductors will join its team, appearing in London exclusively with the New Philharmonia.

They are Zubin Mehta, principal conductor of the Los Angeles Philharmonia and Seiji Ozawa, principal conductor of the San Francisco Symphony Orchestra and the Boston Symphony Orchestra.

## Texas tornadoes kill seven

HUBBARD, Texas (AP). — The death toll from tornadoes that struck several Texas towns Saturday rose to seven, after the death of 73-year-old Harold Sims Sunday night in Grape Creek, Texas.

Saturday a twister virtually demolished the central Texas town of Hubbard and killed six people.



John Downey (left) listens as brother William says a few words after the former's arrival yesterday at Clark Air Base in the Philippines, from Hongkong, where Communist China released him after 20 years' imprisonment. (AP radiophoto)

## Last U.S. Korea PoW freed

CLARK AIR BASE, Philippines (AP). — John T. Downey, the last American prisoner of the Korean War, was freed from China yesterday and flew home to see his seriously ill mother in Connecticut.

Felding let the former CIA agent go after an appeal from President Nixon that he be allowed to join his 75-year-old mother, Mary Downey. His release had been expected as a result of the visits to Peking by Mr. Nixon and Henry Kissinger, but not until later this year.

A Chinese military tribunal sentenced Mr. Downey to life imprisonment for "secretly intruding into China's air space over northeast China aboard a spy plane on November 29, 1952." The plane was shot down. The sentence was later reduced to five years on December 13, 1971.

Mr. Downey looked pale but smiled continuously when he arrived at Clark Air Base from Hongkong. He told newsmen he felt "fine."

At Clark he found his brother William, a New York attorney, who arrived several hours earlier. The

two brothers took off in a special medical evacuation plane for Elmendorf Air Base in Alaska. From there, they were to fly to the U.S. East Coast.

The two other Americans known to be held in China, Air Force Maj. Philip E. Smith and Navy Lt. Commander Robert J. Flynn, are scheduled to be freed on Thursday. Mr. Downey had told a Red Cross man in Hongkong that he had been in the same cell block with them, but gave no information on their condition.

Both were shot down on missions in Vietnam when they overflew Chinese air space.

L-OATH. — A man charged with transporting Bibles without a license refused to take the oath in a court in Mossel Bay, South Africa, yesterday, quoting the Bible as justification when it says "above all things, my brethren, swear not by heaven neither by earth neither by any other oath." He was found guilty, but discharged with a caution.

## Peronist plurality in Argentine poll

BUENOS AIRES (Reuters). — Peronist Presidential candidate Hector Campora won a clear plurality in yesterday's Argentine general elections, and still has a good chance of winning a more than 50 per cent majority, according to revised figures issued by the Interior Ministry.

First Ministry figures showed that Dr. Campora, hand-picked candidate of former strongman President Juan Domingo Peron, had won 45.7 per cent of the total vote. It later said Dr. Campora's total was based on only about 82 per cent of the total votes.

Observers believed that votes still to be counted include many from Buenos Aires province and traditionally Peronist provincial cities, indicating Dr. Campora still had a chance of reaching the 50 per cent plus one total of votes which would obviate the need for a French-style run-off.

The corrected figures released by the Interior Minister were based on results from 45,088 of the more than 65,000 polling stations, indicating that about 1.5 million votes still had to be counted, according to unofficial estimates.

Dr. Campora's major rival was the Radical Party's Ricardo Balbin, followed by Independent Conservative Francisco Manrique and Socialist Oscar Alende.

Campora 6,335,528 votes (45.70 per cent); Balbin 2,718,028 (21.20); Manrique 1,808,972 (14.10); Alende 1,028,116 (8.01).

## Soviet mooncar resumes studies

MOSCOW (UPI). — The Lunokhod 2 robot mooncar has awakened from its second lunar night and resumed studying moon soil and rock and taking photographs, the Tass news agency said yesterday.

All systems aboard the eight-wheeled buggy, landed on the Sea of Serenity January 16 aboard its Luna 21 mothership, are working normally, Tass said. It was awakened from the two-week lunar night Saturday by a radio command from earth.

The vehicle, which looks like a bathtub on wheels, recharged its batteries and on Sunday rolled 34 metres in search of interesting views for stereoscopic panoramic photography, the report said.

## Turkish paper hits censor on eve of presidential vote

ANKARA (UPI). — As political parties met in caucus yesterday to select candidates for the election of a president by Parliament today, a single newspaper challenged the martial law ban on publication of any speculation about the election.

"There is not one democratic country in the world where the press has been muzzled not to write about the presidential election on the eve of such an election," the Istanbul newspaper "Dunya" said. "All such pressures can achieve is to show Turkey as an ugly country to her friends as well as her foes," the editorial said.

It was written by Bedi Fak, owner of the newspaper.

Falk said it was not written cri-

ticism of the army that hurt it, but the army's action in making its chief of staff, Gen. Faruk Gurler, a candidate.

"Is the election of a president the duty of the army," he asked.

The martial law command last Friday banned publication of any speculation concerning the election or its outcome. Before the ban, there was speculation that the newly retired Gurler would run as candidate of the armed forces.

The political caucuses, which began Sunday, were expected to last through most of yesterday in preparation for a vote by Parliament at 3 p.m. today to elect a successor to President Cevdet Sunay.



British actress Fenella Fielding, left, and British dancer, Michael Vernon (wearing costume of Petrouchka, a favourite Panov role), head protest to the Soviet Embassy in London on Sunday. They appealed to the Russians to let Valery Panov, former leading male dancer of Leningrad's Kirov ballet, and his dancer wife, Galina Ragozina, emigrate to Israel. (AP radiophoto)

## Bomb blasts car in Cypriot village

NICOSIA (AP). — A bomb wrecked a parked car in the village of Trikomo, 48 km. east of here, early yesterday morning.

The explosion came only a few hours after Cyprus President Archbishop Makarios visited Trikomo on Sunday, making his first public appearance since his contested defrocking by the three bishops of the Cyprus church last week.

Makarios is believed to have chosen Trikomo in order to snub his opponents — the village is the birth place of his main opponent, Gen. George Grivas.

The three bishops who defrocked Makarios are outspoken supporters of Grivas, who is himself trying to oust the President.

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# WORLD-WIDE BATTLE AGAINST DRUG ABUSE

By MAX WILDE

GENEVA (Oha). — Drug abuse all over the world has assumed "epidemic proportions" during the last 12 months, according to reports submitted to the International Narcotics Control Board by national and regional authorities.

The report for 1972 prepared by the Secretariat for consideration by the Board at its meeting here on 12 March describes an "an ominous change" — the recent tendency for abusive consumption to spread from single drugs to multi-drug abuse. "The toxic effect of a given drug may be and often is greatly enhanced by consumption together with another drug," it says. The problem is thus less easy to control because, in the situation now emerging, if the supply of a particular substance is curtailed, consumption merely assumes another form.

Another "disquieting feature" mentioned in the report is the re-appearance of cocaine in the illicit market, particularly noticeable in Europe. This is an almost intractable problem because of the extensive coca bush cultivation in the Andean region of South America, especially in Bolivia and Peru. Coca leaf chewing is a traditional indulgence which has been practised for centuries in these regions.

## UNDERNOURISHMENT

It is a direct result of poverty and undernourishment (it denotes the pangs of hunger) and its elimination can hardly be looked for in advance of major economic and social reforms on a wide scale, which would also have to take account of periodic natural disasters, such as earthquakes and drought.

The report continues: "The debilitating, often demoralizing, effects of excessive coca leaf chewing, coupled with the fact that the practice is not infrequently associated with alcoholism, make it essential on broad humanitarian grounds alone that organized cultivation of the coca bush should be terminated as soon as possible."

The use of cocaine in medicine is fast disappearing, according to the report, and while the remaining legitimate use of coca leaves is as a flavouring agent for beverages, the amount required is but a tiny fraction of the total coca leaf crop. The report notes that in Peru some measure of reform has been achieved in recent years and more is in prospect.

In Bolivia, it says, there has been none, although about 10 years ago a formal agreement was drawn up between the Government of Bolivia and the Board, on the reduction of coca cultivation and consumption "but a change of government caused this to lapse." A further mission to both Peru and Bolivia to study the current situation is now being sent by the Board.

## OPIUM SUPPLY

There is the same problem of curtailing the supply of opium and its derivatives by cutting down opium poppy cultivation. But in this case the report notes that considerable progress is being made, especially in Turkey and Thailand. Turkey has decided to abolish opium cultivation entirely from the end of the 1972 crop year, which the report describes as a "major event."

But the report warns, even if abolition of opium cultivation in Turkey becomes a reality: "There remains a possibility that Turkey may become in some degree a highway for illicit traffic. Already a substantial quantity of cannabis moves across the country into Europe, and when indigenous supplies of opium are exhausted it is possible that they may be replaced by opium, or more probably by crude morphine, derived from sources farther east."

In Thailand, a five-year crop replacement project, to which the U.N. Fund for Drug Abuse Control has contributed more than \$2 million and the Thai Government more than \$5 million, in cash, kind and services, is well under way. In the highlands of northern Thailand, semi-nomadic tribes have for generations grown the opium poppy. Any sudden change in the agricultural pursuits of these people could cause severe hardship, so the main objective is to eliminate poppy cultivation gradually in favour of other cash crops and economic activities.

Numerous trials are already under way in the fields of highland crop and vegetable production as well as fruit and nut cultivation. Crops being studied include hill rice, maize, potatoes, kidney beans, peach, persimmon, chestnut, avocado, apricot, tea, coffee, medicinal herbs and Chinese and French mushrooms (but not of the hallucinogenic variety). There are also plans for the development of livestock, poultry and fishery, apiculture and sericulture, and forestry and watershed management.

## MODEL FOR OTHERS

The Thai project is also meant to serve as a model for other countries, especially neighbouring Burma and Laos. However, neither country is as yet ready for such a project because of military operations and guerrilla activities. The Narcotics Control Board estimates that as much as 400 tons of opium is at present smuggled from the "Golden Triangle" area where Burma, Laos and Thailand meet.

Another problem region where



Dr. Emma Plank, associate professor of child development at Cleveland, Ohio's Case Western Reserve University, who has been lecturing and holding seminars at Israeli hospitals, as a guest of the Tel Aviv University Medical School, on the care of the dying child. (Israel Sun photo)

# New Jewish college in Australia

By ROCHELLE FURSTENBERG  
Special to The Jerusalem Post

A Jewish residential college, the first of its kind in Australia, will be opened this month at the University of New South Wales in Sydney. The college will provide living quarters with kosher eating facilities and a Jewish learning centre. Eighty students will move into the college this month.

The budget for building the college came from the Australian Government, the New South Wales State Government and the Jewish community. The original idea for the college came from the undergraduates themselves and is indicative of a growing Jewish consciousness among Australian Jewish youth.

According to Professor Graham de Vahl Davis, chairman of the organizing committee of the college, who is visiting the Hebrew University and the Technion this year, "There has been a revival in Jewish consciousness and a greater interest in the Jewish religion among Australian Jewish youth since the Six Day War. Student groups return from tours to Israel with enthusiasm. Australia has the highest percentage of its Jewish population coming on aliyah of any country. This has resulted in the strengthening of Jewish schools, Zionist youth movements and now in the establishment of the Jewish residential college."

The Master of the college (the man in charge of running it), is an Israeli, Ze'ev Amit.

NOISE. — Quarrelling couples could end up in jail for making too much noise under a new law proposed by the Kobe city authorities in Japan.

## Birth control — Japanese style

LONDON (UPI). — Britain and the world have a lot to learn from the Japanese way of birth control, the medical journal "World Medicine" said yesterday.

The Japanese have found that many unwanted pregnancies occur in winter because it is too cold to get out of bed to fetch a contraceptive. So, "World Medicine" said, Japanese housewives are advised to sew a special pocket in their pillow for contraceptives or to put one in their husbands' nightgown pocket each night.

The Japanese also have made an art of packaging contraceptive aids, with the biggest company marketing 150 brands, the journal said.

"Some packages look like chocolate boxes, others like biscuits or cigarette cartons, others are unlabelled — a sales technique that saves embarrassment at the point of purchase but can confuse children in the home," it said.

# Juvenile crime worries U.S.S.R.

By JAMES R. FEEPERT

MOSCOW (AP). — Russia's No. 2 policeman says juvenile delinquency means an "urgent problem" and uses indifferent adults, boredom and vodka.

Interviewed in this week's "Ogoniok" magazine, Deputy Interior Minister Boris T. Shumilin said figures indicating "a favourable trend in reducing juvenile delinquency."

But he warned: "Alas, juvenile delinquency is not defeated. It remains, as before, an urgent problem concerning the city, the school, the Communist youth League and, of course, the sons of the Ministry of Internal Affairs."

The Shumilin interview in the popular picture magazine — published by the party daily, "Pravda" — was the first of a series of articles on wayward youth, inciting widespread official concern over the problem.

"Ogoniok's" editorial board considered the interview with an appeal to parents, teachers, Young Communist League apparatchiks and youths themselves "to take part in a dialogue and share their thoughts and observations on this most important problem."

Shumilin was tight-lipped on statistics, almost as secretive as nuclear formulae. But he said, "we should clearly realize where the sources" of the problem.

Unlike the problem in capitalist countries, he said, "juvenile delinquency in the Soviet Union is not a natural phenomenon stemming from a social system. It is a result of our mistakes in the education of youth and an inability to use all existing opportunities for the formation of a new moral quality."

Shumilin cited the case of Valery Shelkovich, expelled from a Novosibirsk high school for "violating discipline." Shelkovich was reinstated. But after only two weeks of the new term the teachers fired up and he was expelled again.

The youth was eventually sentenced to a year and a half in prison. Shumilin chided the teachers of school No. 74 for abdicating their duty "to spare no efforts so that young people will 'worthily' carry on the cause of their fathers and the cause of the great Lenin."

"While not exonerating the school," Shumilin added, "we should state emphatically that we still show little concern for the leisure time of youths outside school."

## STAND AROUND

"When I get out of school," the youth said, "I usually go stand around on a corner." He said there is no place to go except the Kiyevskaya movie theatre. So after a while "standing around, talking and telling jokes," he and his friends usually buy a bottle of vodka at a nearby liquor shop and drink it in the school yard.

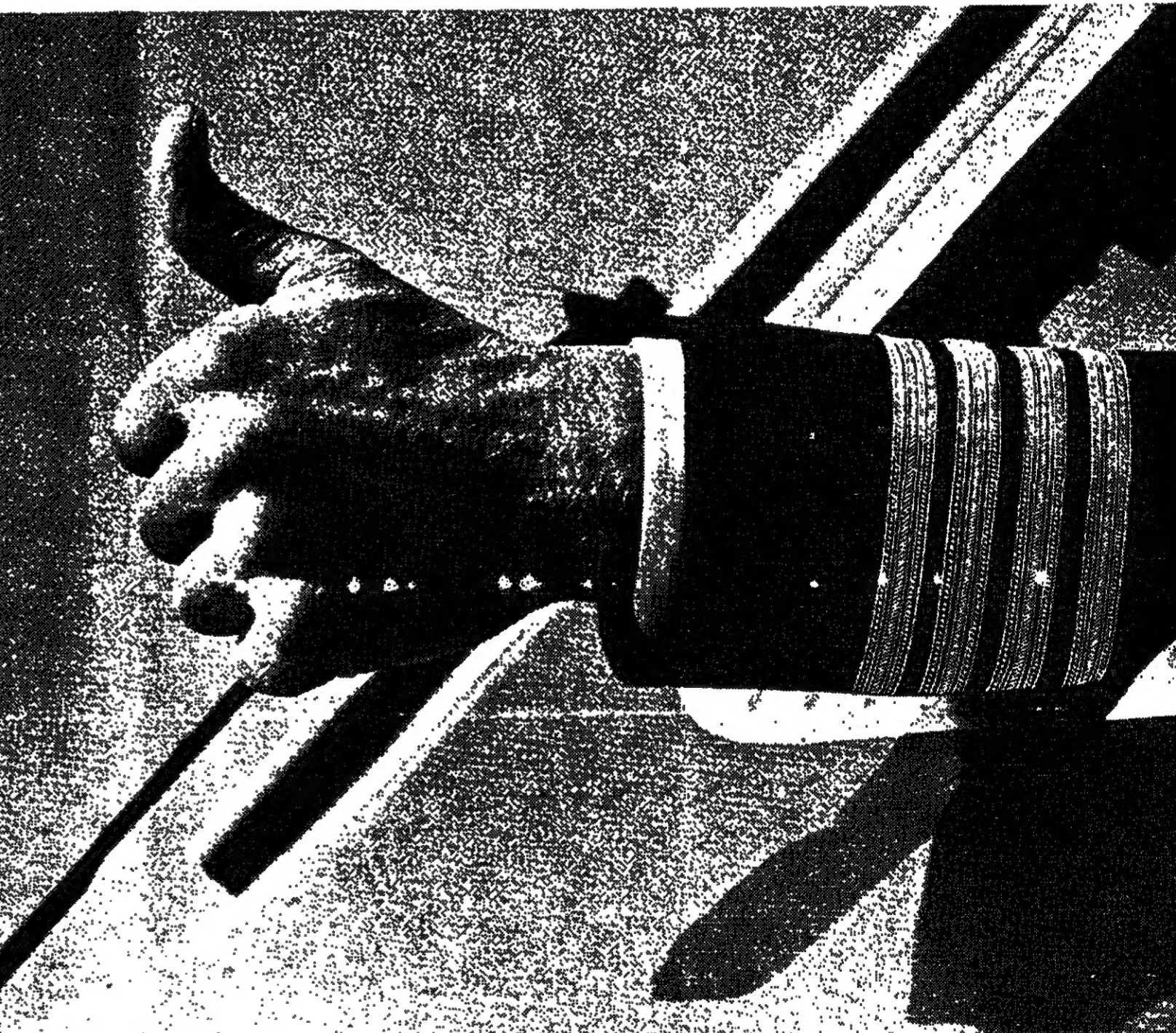
Shumilin pointed to "drink as a prime cause of delinquency. He said 40 per cent of the minors who come to trial committed their crimes while intoxicated, and police conducted in reform camps showed 80 per cent of the inmates were heavy drinkers before they were 16."

"There were even cases when the first drink was given to children by their parents," Shumilin said.

He urged that parents and teachers heed the example of school No. 13 in Novogorod where the Communist Youth League organizes marches to sites of World War II partisan battles, visits to invalids, and has set up a detachment of "Friends of the Police."

Many Soviet teenagers would say privately that such activities are childish, boring and old-fashioned and are in themselves one of the reasons why they stand around on street corners.

Shumilin took solace in F.B.I. figures indicating that youth crime is an even greater problem in America.



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